Table 7. California Division of Workers' Compensation: Workers' Compensation Claims (in 000's), by Geographical Region, 2000 - 200!

REGION	2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005		2006		2007		2008		2009		TOTAL	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent																		
BAY AREA	171.0	24.9	205.1	23.5	183.7	22.1	169.2	21.3	150.6	20.0	140.8	19.8	142.4	20.6	135.9	20.8	123.8	20.8	106.2	21.1	1,528.6	21.6
CENTRAL COAST	40.5	5.9	55.9	6.4	53.1	6.4	48.9	6.1	46.4	6.2	43.5	6.1	42.2	6.1	39.5	6.0	36.3	6.1	30.5	6.1	436.7	6.2
CENTRAL VALLEY	69.1	10.1	89.7	10.3	88.1	10.6	88.0	11.1	86.0	11.4	80.9	11.4	77.6	11.2	73.9	11.3	68.7	11.5	57.4	11.4	779.4	11.0
EASTERN SIERRA FOOTHILL	13.0	1.9	17.5	2.0	17.3	2.1	16.5	2.1	15.1	2.0	14.4	2.0	13.6	2.0	13.4	2.0	12.0	2.0	9.6	1.9	142.3	2.0
INLAND EMPIRE	105.0	15.3	141.3	16.2	136.8	16.5	134.6	16.9	134.2	17.8	129.9	18.3	125.9	18.2	116.2	17.8	103.3	17.3	84.1	16.7	1,211.4	17.1
LOS ANGELES	173.9	25.3	221.1	25.1	213.2	25.6	205.8	25.8	196.4	26.1	183.4	25.9	176.7	25.6	169.9	26.1	155.7	26.2	133.1	26.5	1,829.2	25.7
NORTH STATE-SHASTA	13.4	1.9	19.1	2.2	18.3	2.2	16.5	2.1	14.7	1.9	13.3	1.9	12.3	1.8	11.6	1.8	10.4	1.7	8.5	1.7	137.9	1.9
SACRAMENTO VALLEY	44.3	6.4	50.4	5.8	47.3	5.7	45.0	5.7	42.5	5.6	39.6	5.6	37.5	5.4	32.6	5.0	30.5	5.1	27.4	5.5	397.1	5.6
SACRAMENTO VALLEY (N.)	8.8	1.3	12.3	1.4	11.7	1.4	10.4	1.3	10.0	1.3	9.4	1.3	8.8	1.3	8.5	1.3	7.6	1.3	6.3	1.2	93.8	1.3
SAN DIEGO	47.8	7.0	62.1	7.1	61.1	7.4	60.3	7.6	57.9	7.7	55.0	7.7	53.8	7.8	51.3	7.9	47.6	8.0	39.7	7.9	536.6	7.6
SUBTOTAL, All Regions	686.8	100.0	874.5	100.0	830.6	100.0	795.2	100.0	753.8	100.0	710.2	100.0	690.8	100.0	652.8	100.0	595.9	100.0	502.8	100.0	7,093.0	100.0
Unknown	53.5		59.5		59.5		54.4		49.8		47.4		43.0		42.1		38.5		30.8		478.9	
TOTAL REPORTED INJURIES	740.3		934.0		890.1		849.6		803.6		757.6		733.8		694.9		634.4		533.6		7,571.9	

Note: Totals and percentages may not always add up due to rounding.

Source: WCIS database. A significant amount of variation across years results from noncompliance and late reporting of claims. Data are based upon calendar year of injury. DWC believes that its database is representative of claims in California's workers' compensation (WC) industry.

Total claims by year of injury based upon reported location of injury using DN 33 (postal code of injury site). Counties included in each region are listed in Table 7a.

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